

WEEK AHEAD

Monday 13th – Friday 17th May 2019



Dear Parents,

There are many reasons to be proud of CAEA, not least of which are our students and all they achieve, and also our teachers.

With this in mind, we want to draw your attention to the article that follows. It is wonderfully written by Mrs Shears, our head of Science, who provides us with information regarding the Eco-Schools project and the success that CAEA is having in this regard.

Please also note the progress that we are having in our effort to “adopt” certain endangered animals. As you will understand, this is something that is highly popular with all our students and, we trust, with our parent community as well. Let’s continue the effort!

Special thanks to Mrs Shears for a job exceptionally well done.

On an entirely different subject, please note that because this term is unusually short, we will not be forwarding half-term reports.

Best wishes,

Mrs Kim Salthouse
Head of School

Dr Duncan Rollo
Principal

Half Term
Friday 24th May – Monday 3rd June 2019
Friday 24th May - School finishes at 12.00
Term Commences
Monday 3rd June 2019

Eco-Schools



Centre Academy East Anglia

has been given this award to recognise their achievement in working towards a sustainable lifestyle.



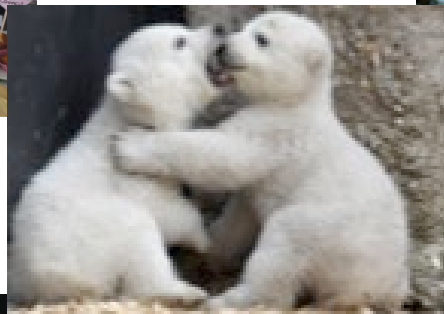
One year after the school became an Eco School and after much hard work by the students, Centre Academy has received the prestigious Eco School bronze-level award. This award is given by the Eco-School international programme to recognise the school's achievement in working towards a sustainable lifestyle.

Eco Schools is based on the commitment and work of student-driven teams dedicated to make environmental awareness and action an intrinsic part of the life and ethos of a school. Its participatory approach and combination of learning and action makes it an ideal way for schools to begin improving the environments of schools and their local communities.

Students at CAEA have been involved in various projects all designed to raise environmental awareness, connect students to the natural world, improve the schools environmental footprint and increase student engagement, while saving money for the school.

The School Eco Council were delighted with the award and have already begun working towards the next stage of the programme, the Silver Award. They would also like to thank everyone who sent in donations or cakes for our successful cake sale, to help the school adopt an endangered animal.

So far £110.08 has been raised which has enabled the school to adopt one endangered Polar bear, one African lion and one Snow leopard for one year, through the World Wildlife Fund. Please keep your donations coming in, as there are eleven more endangered animals to adopt.



NOTICES

Students Who Travel by Taxi

Please could parents ensure that their child's taxi is informed if a child is to be absent from school and does not need to be collected by the taxi. It has come to light on a number of occasions that taxis have arrived at the school at the end of the day to collect students to return home. We have had to explain that the child has been collected for medical appointments/or sent home unwell.

Thank you.

School Diaries

Please could all parents check with their children that they have their school diaries. These should have homework assignments written in. Teachers are also checking these diaries to ensure that all parents and students are aware of the demands being made on the children. The diaries are especially helpful in facilitating communication between class tutors and parents.

Sunday boarding arrangements

Please can Parents let Mr Thompson know in advance, either by email at athompson@centreacademy.net, or by phone or text message on 07555 416172. This is so that we have numbers for food on Sunday evening and numbers for pick up from Stowmarket train station. Boarders should either arrive at Centre Academy no earlier than 7pm if coming directly or be picked up from Stowmarket train station.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Boarding House Telephone Numbers:

Mr Thompson can be contacted on the following mobile number during the week, Monday from 8.00 am to Friday 3.00pm. Please can any arrangements for Sunday evening boarding be made in advance prior to 3.00pm on the Friday. The Care Staff do not stay on site at the weekend and will be out of contact during this period.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Mr Thompson - 07555 416 172

Gentle Reminders:

- ✚ If your child requires any medication, please ensure that this is handed into the office or Mrs Beadman. Medication will need to be in its original packet along with the relevant paperwork. The item must be clearly labelled with the student's name and the instructions of administration.
- ✚ Students must not be sent to school if they have a fever/sickness or are feeling ill. Students should be fever/sickness free for 48 hours before returning to school to protect other students from contact with potentially contagious illnesses. Parents will be contacted by the medical staff on duty if a child shows symptoms of illness while in school.
- ✚ Could all students bring stationery in to school for their lessons, e.g. pens/pencils and crayons.
- ✚ Please check and sign homework diaries every week; the diaries are a very important tool to communicate with teachers and parents.
- ✚ All female students are to wear either trousers or skirts with thick tights when participating in drama lessons or drama activities after school.
- ✚ During the summer please ensure your child has sun cream, a sun hat and appropriate glasses with them; all items should be marked with the child's name.

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